

About People And Things

BY C. B. McDOWELL

CONFUSED AND CONFUSING

Circuit Solicitor Lewis Stephens and I were guests of Representative Jackson W. Stokes at the Saturday session of the Alabama Legislature.

We and three boys left Elba about eight o'clock Saturday morning. It had been raining lightly but when we reached a point about 20 miles this side of Montgomery, "the bottom dropped out." It rained so hard we could hardly see the road and the wind seemed to be trying to blow us off the highway. We learned later that we were in the edge of a tornado which did much damage south of Montgomery.

Torrential rain continued until after we found refuge in the State Capitol building. Other heavy rain squalls continued throughout the day and on our way home that evening we ran into another deluge near the point where we were nearly "drowned and blown away" that morning. We could hardly believe our eyes when we arrived in Elba and found everything comparatively dry.

Well, I found out a good deal about the workings of the State House. It was said that Friday's session was one of the most confused and confusing held in a long time. It is to be hoped that it was not fair sample of that august body's sessions, as many of the members appeared not to know what they were voting for or against.

For instance, it seemed in the beginning that a safe majority of the members knew how and when they wanted to adjourn but it was clearly demonstrated that the majority does not always rule. The first motion to adjourn was made before noon, and was to adjourn the next Tuesday and then adjourn until the following Tuesday. This was said to be the way a majority of the members wanted it, but by means of some slick maneuvering and twisting the rules and procedures, the motion was defeated, and the bill continued to grind.

No less than six motions to adjourn were voted on, but not until midnight, when everyone was getting weak from hunger, did a motion to adjourn prevail, and it was entirely adverse to what the majority wanted.

So it said, however, to the credit of the confusing session, the long delayed adjournment enabled many accumulated local bills and at least four important general bills to be taken out of the hopper and disposed of.

Representative Stokes got his local bill extending the City of Enterprise city limits through without opposition. He said he will soon bring up a similar bill to extend the city limits of Elba.

One of the general bills was to have grand juries to examine election returns. The bills author claimed that this bill will go a long way toward making election officials more careful about manipulating election returns.

Another bill was one sponsored by the State Retail Merchants Association in regard to punish pilferers from stores. The bill will make a shoplifting more dangerous, according to the author.

Also passed was a bill to authorize the State to issue re-electricated automobile tags. However, the measure was amended to specify that such tags would be issued for a two-year term.

The House adopted a resolution condemning the arbitrary decisions of the U. S. Supreme Court during the past year or so, "making laws rather than interpreting them."

It was charged that the Courts' abrogation of States' Rights and its invasion of the executive and legislative fields have combined to generate more demand for curbing the court than has existed in over a century. It is generally conceded that the prestige of the nation's highest tribunal is at a humiliating low and that the universal reverence the people used to have for it has dissipated.

The resolution asked that

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Mayor H. C. Taylor, right, is seen as he received the Civil Defense certificate from Cliff College Director Paul R. Brummon, left, and Pitt Tyson Mander, Civil Defense Director for the State of Alabama, middle, in ceremonies which marked the close of an unparalleled program in the field of Civil Defense Education at Auburn last week.

Mrs. Grace Ever, of Elba, attended the sessions last Thursday.

The Alabama Civil Defense Staff College Administration Course, attended by Mayor Taylor, opened at the Union Building, Auburn, Monday and continued through Friday under the supervision of Mr. Brummon, Assistant Director of the Alabama Department of Civil Defense. The College was attended by 72 community leaders from throughout Alabama identified with local Civil Defense organizations.

HOMECOMING AT FRIENDSHIP CHURCH SUNDAY

Friendship Baptist Church will observe Homecoming Day Sunday, July 7, to mark the beginning of a week long revival in charge of Rev. Earl Tew, of Pinckard, Ala. Dinner will be served at noon.

Rev. Pinckard will bring the message daily at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Monday through Friday with services beginning at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The pastor, E. C. Fleming, has extended an invitation to everyone to attend.

Andrews Upbraids U. S. Supreme Court

Congressman Andrews today again turned his fire on the U. S. Supreme Court's recent decisions, particularly concerning Communism, he said.

WHY AM I DISTURBED?—Yes, Why am I disturbed about the Supreme Court? While the cry of "danger" in this country seems to be over the threat of communism and armed aggression from the outside, my chief worry is the threat of conquest from within. I fear that the communists have succeeded in brainwashing the Supreme Court. I am afraid of what I see and hear and read. Here are a few items that have appeared in the press during the past week or ten days.

The Washington Star quoted London's communist Daily Worker as praising United States Supreme Court Justice, Hugo Black. It said: "In part 'Unknown' negroes, the tragically well known Rosenbergs, aliens and deporters, radical professors, trade unionists, and communist leaders have heard the voice of Justice Black speak out for their rights." It has laid down by the American Constitution.

If the communists ever paid me such a compliment, that's when I would feel I had committed some terrible sin against my country.

Coffee County Has No TB '56 Deaths

MONTGOMERY—More than one third of Alabama's 330 tuberculosis deaths last year occurred in five of the State's major cities. The cities and their totals were Birmingham 26, Mobile 43, Montgomery 19, Gadsden 13, and Mowwood 34.

The State Health Department said today, however, that only a few counties were without at least one death from tuberculosis last year. Coffee County reported none of the 1956 TB deaths.

The Governor, quoted from a

Alabama Prison Population Double Tennessee Total; Overhaul Asked

There is a strong feeling among many legislators, that some of Alabama's penal laws need an overhaul.

Gov. James E. Folsom, in his May message to the legislators, stressed the need for this, and his remarks met a ready response from many of the solons.

Alabama State prisons are crowded with 5,500 inmates, whereas our sister State of Tennessee, with 230,000 more people than we have, report a prison population of only 2,500. The cause may be found elsewhere, where, the Governor said, he then highlighted some of these "causes."

The Governor said: "Alabama is one of the very few states where judges do not have the authority to let prisoners serve more than one term concurrently."

"Number 2 cause, and by far the greatest," Governor Folsom said, "is the long established method of lower courts sending people to prison to work out court costs. Our prisons are full of people serving 30 to 60 days court costs (some members of the State Prison Board have in the past referred to this as making Alabama penitentiaries out-moded debtors' prisons). 'A sidelight to this problem,' the Governor added, 'is reflected in the Dept. of Pensions and Security, because 70 percent of all prison families are on welfare rolls. This means that the State is forced to keep a man's family when he is sent to prison to work out these court costs.'

Governor Folsom then put his finger on the grievous young prisoners. He said:

"Perhaps the worst result of this entire situation is the fact that every year hundreds and hundreds of young boys and first offenders are sent to prison from 30 to 60 days and are then sent home with the 'convict' label tagged to them for the rest of their lives, just because they were unable to pay local court costs."

"When the prison system receives a man for 30 days, it takes over half that time to process him. Then, when he is ready to be discharged the State has to buy him a suit of clothes and give him bus fare back to his home town. You can readily see what a staggering cost is upon the prison system."

The Governor, quoted from a

Truck Is Twisted In Windstorm Here

While other parts of the country were having hurricanes, tornadoes and all kinds of bad weather, Elba had its own "twister."

A service truck belonging to the United Telephone and Telegraph Co. in charge of James W. Oliver, local superintendent, had gone to Smith Avenue last Thursday afternoon to make a repair call.

When a swirling gust of wind struck the truck, it was overturned into the roadside ditch. No one was injured, but it was estimated that approximately \$600 damage was done to the truck.

The "twister" seemed to be strictly local, as no other serious damage was reported to property in that section of the city.

MRS. WM. F. DAVIS DIES

Mrs. William F. Davis, 21, highly esteemed resident of the New Brockton community, died early Monday morning in Enterprise hospital.

Survivors include her husband, William F. Davis; one son, Jeffrey Davis; her mother, Mrs. Mary Scott, Arkansas; her father, Joe Cole, Montgomery.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at New Brockton Baptist Church with the Rev. J. B. Johnson, the Rev. C. M. Messick and the Rev. Niles officiating. Burial was in the New Brockton cemetery with Haves Funeral Home directing.

SCHOLARSHIP OFFERED

CHICAGO—(Special) Four high school graduates with a genuine interest in forestry and three years or more of 4-H work may each receive a \$1600 college scholarship next fall to be applied to undergraduate work in forestry. Candidates will be recommended by the State 4-H Club office.

SEARCH BEGUN FOR ALABAMA BEAUTY QUEEN

Very soon some talented, as well as beautiful young lady will be selected as the 1957 Miss Alabama, and sent East to represent this great Southern State at the Atlantic City Miss America Pageant. In such a spotlight, a cultured and lovely young Miss can do much to promote the fair name of her native State by a display of charm and decorum.

Miss Lily May Caldwell, of the Birmingham News, Executive Director of the competition in this State, has drawn the attention to some of the outstanding success achieved in this Pageant by Alabama young ladies in the immediate past.

Miss Caldwell points out, "In the past 11 years Alabama girls have won nine scholarships, one Miss America crown, in Atlantic City." These nine scholarship winners were: Miss Peggy A. Ingram, Birmingham; Miss Jeanne Moody, Cherokee; Miss Gwen Harmon, Birmingham; Miss Virginia McDavid, Birmingham; Miss Marilyn Tate, Haleyville; Miss Yolande Betts, Mobile; Miss Patricia Huddleston, Clanton, and Miss Anne Atrial, this year's Miss Alabama, Birmingham.

The value of these nine prizes totalled \$23,500.

By winning the Miss America contest a few years ago, Miss Caldwell reports, Miss Bethere "won a trip to Europe, a deluxe car, a complete wardrobe, and grossed in TV, radio, opera, and other appearances above all expenses, \$50,000."

In addition, it is learned, "a total of 200 scholarships and awards at a total value of \$40,000, have been won by Alabama girls in the State Finals which are held at Birmingham."

Among the sponsors of the event are the Alabama Federation of Women's Clubs, a number of our colleges, schools, individual instructors networks, movie companies and other organizations.

Miss Caldwell says "girls to be eligible for the Miss Alabama title must be over 18, be under 18 may qualify for scholarships and awards, and must be attractive, intelligent, ambitious and talented."

Such a Miss Alabama from one of our 67 counties, with these attributes, cannot help but be a credit to the State, as well as herself, a good public relations person.

Disabled Can Get Benefit Payments

By HARRY N. SCOTT

District Social Security Mr. Day after day people come into our office and say, "I'm disabled for work and I want to apply for benefits." Quite often they are asked what the interviewer hands them medical report form together with a letter from their doctor. This letter describes the form and explains why the applicant is asking his doctor to furnish the medical information we must have to make a sound determination.

You see, the disabled person is responsible for getting the medical evidence needed to show the extent of his disability. We must ask him to take this letter and form to his doctor. It may be that the applicant was at the same time, treated for disabling condition in a clinic, hospital, institution, or agency. If so, we may also give him medical report form and a letter to be sent to that institution asking for medical evidence about his case from their records.

On the medical report form the doctor, hospital, institution or agency gives the medical history of the applicant's case, what they have found to be wrong with him, how severe the disability is, what medical tests have shown, and what treatments and medicines he has received. In no case are we asked to decide whether the applicant is or not "totally" disabled. We shall explain in a moment how the decision is made.

Our Social Security office will advise the applicant how to get whatever medical evidence, proofs, and documents he may need to support his application.

Council Plans For Tax Referendum

LIONS INSTALL '57 OFFICERS AT LADIES NIGHT

The Elba City Council met in regular semi-monthly session Monday night at 7:30 with Mayor Herschel Taylor presiding and all Councilmen present. City Clerk, George A. Jones recorded the proceedings. Chief of Police, Roy Dunaway presented. The following business was transacted:

Minutes of the two preceding meetings were read and approved.

The City's sewer situation was discussed, stressing the matter of sewer tapping, in which it was stated that under present custom, sewers are be-tapped at heavy loss to the City. City Attorney, Charles L. Rowe was called in and stated that sewer tapping could be legally be-tapped and should carry a charge of the cost of the material and labor involved. No official action was taken.

PLAN REFERENDUM

The controversial city sales tax matter was discussed at length. It was pointed out that the Council had voted at a previous meeting to have City Attorney Charles L. Rowe draw up an ordinance levying a 1 percent sales tax to raise the necessary funds for obtaining a hospital for Elba. It was stated that it was not the Council's intention to levy such a tax without submitting the matter to the voters of the municipality, but rather to have the City Attorney to draw up and submit an ordinance to the Council for its approval or rejection.

G. M. Mathis, local merchant, made a strong argument against the proposed sales tax. Councilman Leslie M. Johnson, who is also Chairman of the local hospital Board, read a number of letters and newspaper clippings from Jasper, Talladega, Etowah and other Alabama cities and towns stating that a 1 percent sales tax was very successfully tried in their municipalities and the benefits were greatly outweighing the disadvantages.

FOUNDED SATISFACTORY

Dr. Johnson said that 20 cities, towns and counties in Alabama are at present under a 1 percent sales tax levy and with out exception are finding the plan very satisfactory. Most of the letters stated that before this method of obtaining necessary funds for various purposes was put into effect, many were opposed to the plan on grounds that it would drive trade away from their towns and cities, but on the contrary, the tax has proved to be beneficial instead of detrimental.

Dr. Johnson and all members of the City Council agreed that Elba needs a hospital and a sales tax seems to be the only feasible means of raising the required funds of approximately \$142,000.

Attorney Rowe was instructed to draw an ordinance, following the form of the State Sales tax law now in effect in Alabama, substituting 1 percent for the State's 3 percent, and following the State's exemptions. The ordinance is to be submitted to the City Council at its next regular meeting for its approval or rejection.

FOR HOSPITAL ONLY

Attorney Rowe was instructed to incorporate in the ordinance the assurance that the sales tax shall be used exclusively for raising funds for the hospital and shall be expended as soon as its mission has been completed. It was suggested that the tax on some large sales should be put on a sliding scale.

City Attorney Rowe read a formal proposal to organize an Industrial Development Board in Elba, the object of which would be to promote the acquisition of new industries. It was intimated that there is a possibility of a large industry locating in Elba, and Mr. Rowe said a Board of this nature would be the most effective a-

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JULY

Through the Keyhole

BY MRS. ROBERT CANNON

How nice to hear from "Our Children," and having once taught them in school they forever remain "Our Children." Jack Parker, who has spent the last two years in Germany, writes that he and a group of friends taking a pleasure jaunt across the continent this summer. They plan to see as much of Europe as their time limit will permit, hoping to include England. Jack will be home by Christmas, he believes.

A pleasant afternoon was spent with another former student, Christine Wilson, who is now in Washington, D. C. Christine looked as cute as ever and was just as effervescent. She told us she has taken a modeling course in her spare time and has been called on for several fashion shows.

A pleasant time was spent in the home of the Emory Corbitts last Monday evening when the four Methodist Missionary Cir-

cles held their joint meeting there. Mrs. Mayo Prescott was in charge of the program and, as always, had things well under control. After the program we enjoyed an informal discussion about our foreign Missionaries and their great faith in their tasks.

Mary Alice Wise and I complimented the hostess on a lovely figure that graced the buffet, and later, on her two fine sons, who are certainly our

sons of "Gentlemen." Visitors here and in Troy have made the past few weeks especially pleasant for us. From Dallas, Texas our cousin Mrs. Edward Engman Tate, Edward and Elizabeth came to spend a few days. With them was her mother, Mrs. Pauline Yahn Dyer of Alexandria, Virginia. They were on route to Virginia where Young Edward will spend the summer in camp. Last week gave us our first chance to see the newest addition to the family, Young Elizabeth Ann Mathews, who is a little doll, she, sister Mary Jane and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Mathews of Birmingham were enjoying their yearly summer trip, and we enjoyed their company.

On Sunday afternoon we all went to the airport in Troy to meet Mrs. James Raoul Mary of New Orleans, who flew home with her children, Jimmy, Martha and Mollie.

Bob and I were quite excited over the plan's being nice enough to take us for a spin over Troy before he returned to New Orleans. It's a lovely way to travel.

We are looking forward to the next time we four cousins will be together.

Chatter, the annual picnic of the Pledge Sunday School class was held at Ida Kinney's home last Wednesday. The group enjoyed an appetizing dinner and pleasant company. So very glad to hear that Margaret English is recuperating nicely from a recent illness. Margaret is far too pretty to be confined indoors and we are looking forward to seeing her out again soon.

Enjoyed a brief chat with Jeannette Garrett and Mrs. Garrett on their porch. Jeannette is home from Birmingham for the summer vacation and is planning to enjoy every day of it. Andy Kinney is working in Danville, Virginia this summer along with several of his fraternity brothers.

Told Andy there was a street in that town named "Vann" for a distant relative.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP UNIVERSITY, Ala.—The Pearl Sparks Scholarship awarded each year by the Pilot Clubs of Alabama to an entering freshman in the VA School of Nursing, will go to Angelyn Adams, Rt. 1, Chancellor. A graduate of Enterprise High School, and a member of the National Honor Society, Miss Adams will enter the University in September. The Scholarship is named in honor of Pearl Sparks, a native Alabamian, a charter member of District 2 Pilot International and author of the Pilot Club code of ethics.

Morgans Are Back From Western Trip Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan and daughter, Mrs. Collier and daughter, have returned from a three week trip to California and other Western states. They went via the Southern route, visiting the famous Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico. They also crossed the line over into Old Mexico. They returned via the Northern route, in-

LEGAL SOUTH ALABAMA ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC., TROY, ALABAMA NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING The regular meeting of the membership of South Alabama Electric Cooperative, Inc., will be held on Tuesday, July 30, 1957 beginning at 8:00 A. M. at the Pike Theatre, Troy, Alabama, for the purpose of taking action on the following matters:

1. Elect Trustees
2. Transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.
J. A. Young, Secretary
Board of Trustees
74-711-718-725

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA, IN EQUITY, ELBA DIVISION, EX PARTE CHARLES DIXON AND THELMA DIXON COMPLAINTS VS JOHN HENRY MARLER ET ALIS, RESPONDENTS TO CHARLES WINSTON MARLER, EDWARD L. MARLER OWEN MARLER, WINSTON L. WYATT, ANNIE B. MARLER PAMEL ADAMS, HENRY STRICKLAND, JOE HENRY MARLER AND LINDA MARLER.

TAKE NOTICE that the petition of Charles Dixon and Thelma Dixon praying a declaration of a decedent's estate heretofore purchased by them from the Estate of Ada King, deceased, has been set down for hearing before the Court on July 22, 1957, at 2:00 o'clock, P. M. in Chambers at Elba, Alabama.

This the 1st day of July, 1957, Gladys Clark Register, 74-711-718

SHOULD ACT NOW Veterans of their dependents who receive Veterans Administration benefits checks should notify the VA promptly if they move. Harley A. Smith, manager of the VA Regional Office in Montgomery, said today. Under law, VA payment checks for benefits cannot be forwarded to a different address. They must be returned to the U. S. Treasury.

cluding the Grand Canyon and other outstanding points of interest. They were fortunate enough to have Prof. J. C. Dixon guide them on some of their sightseeing tours, especially one to Disneyland at Anaheim, where Prof. Dixon served as pastor of a church here for several years.

BRUNSON REUNION A reunion of the late Eugene Brunson family, formerly of Coffee County, will be held Sunday, July 7, at the home of Dr. Jessie E. Brunson at Pensacola, Fla. All Brunson relatives are invited to attend.

When gathering flowers for a bouquet, cut the stems at a long slant. When cut this way they'll absorb more water and remain fresh longer.

Way of the Crusaders



PARIS-TO-BAGHDAD: Travel from Paris on the Seine to Baghdad on the Tigris, a stretch of 4500 miles embracing ten countries, is now possible by land at a total transportation cost of less than \$125. This trip covers almost a fourth of the globe's surface and takes one through France, West Germany, Austria, Yugoslavia, Greece, Turkey, Syria, Lebanon, Jordan and Iraq. This journey enables one to see, among other things, the Holy Places of Christianity in Arab Jerusalem and nearby Biblical sites, the Crusader Castles of the Levant, the legendary Birthplace of Abraham in Southern Iraq and other attractions of the Holy Land from the Moslems. Further information may be obtained from the Arab Information Center, Travel Development Section, 120 E. 50th St., New York 22, N. Y.

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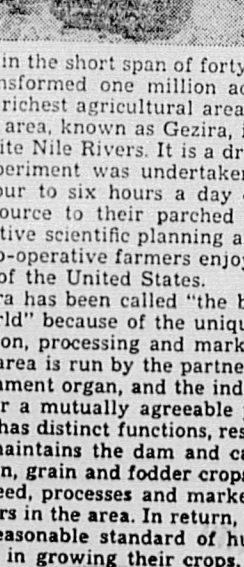
Although most Americans consider Rome as the seat of early Christianity, an equally ancient branch of Christendom—the Coptic Church—was established during the first three centuries of the Christian era in the city of Alexandria, Egypt.

The Church of St. Sergius marks the site of the home of the Holy Family during the traditional flight into Egypt. From this early beginning, Christianity flourished and by the end of the Second Century it was firmly established in Egypt. The Coptic faith received its strongest impetus during the Third Century when St. Anthony, a native Egyptian, laid the foundations of the church's monastic tradition.

Up to the Fifth Century, the Coptic Church at Alexandria played a leading role in the history of the Christian world. The earliest churches were cut out of the rocks and caverns, but in the days of Constantine and Justinian, basilicas of great splendor were erected. The use of the dome by Coptic architects was universal; most churches had at least three domes overshadowing three altars.

In 638 the faltering Roman Empire in Egypt gave way to the Arabs, who brought the new message of Islam while maintaining the security of life, property and religion for the Egyptian Christians. These Christian Arabs enjoyed complete freedom from religious persecution and played integral role in conducting the affairs of state. These conditions have continued unbroken ever since.

Gezira: Land of Plenty



Within the short span of forty-three years, a man-made miracle has transformed one million acres of arid soil into one of the world's richest agricultural areas, deep in the heart of the Sudan. This area, known as Gezira, is a broad plain between the Blue and White Nile Rivers. It is a dream come true. In 1913, when the first experiment was undertaken, many of the region's peasants water source to their parched plots of land. Today, thanks to imaginative scientific planning and years of hard work, the area's 23,000 co-operative farmers enjoy a per capita income second only to that of the United States.

Gezira has been called "the biggest co-operative estate in the free world" because of the unique partnership which governs the cultivation, processing and marketing of its agricultural produce. The area is run by the partnership of the Sudan Gezira Board, a government organ, and the individual land holders.

Under a mutually agreeable profit-sharing arrangement, each partner has distinct functions, responsibilities and obligations. The Board maintains the dam and canal system, provides free water, cotton, grain and fodder crops, distributes selected and treated cotton seed, processes and markets the cotton and advances cash to farmers in the area. In return, the farmers work the land, maintain a reasonable standard of husbandry and bear the expenses involved in growing their crops.

Profits from the annual cotton crop are split between the Board and the farmers, but all grain and fodder crops remain the property of the individual farmers.

The Government of Sudan is co-operating in a wide range of supplementary projects. The Government has trained the peasants into local groups which, through their representatives, give and receive advice on agricultural and social problems. With the revenue from the Government's share of the prosperous cotton crop, it has launched an ambitious adult education program and increased the educational opportunities for the area's youth. Teachers and technicians attend village discussion groups, plan new health projects, institute vocational training and the educational activities.

One of the best descriptions of the progress achieved in this farming area has been given by an admiring foreign visitor, Dr. Mohammed Afzal, Research Director of the Pakistan Cotton Committee. Following his visit to Gezira, Dr. Afzal wrote: "This is one of the most outstanding socio-economic experiments of the present century and its success is so great that it deserves to go down in history as a great romance of creative achievement."

"City of Crepe Myrtle" Lives Up To Its Name This Time of Year

(By C. B. McDowell) Elba's favorite flower, the beautiful crepe myrtle, is in bloom in all of its adorable colors and tints.

When the U. S. Government was seeking projects to give employment to thousands of idle workers, back in the Roosevelt rehabilitation days following the never to be forgotten Hoover depression, Elba chose the crepe myrtle as its favorite flower bearing shrub.

Thousands of crepe myrtle bushes were set out along the streets throughout the city and Elba became "The City of Flowing Vells and Flowering Crepe Myrtles."

Greenville is known as the "Commune City." Mobile is famous for its azaleas and Talmadge, Ga., is known as the "City of Roses." Elba became noted for its profusion of crepe myrtle. Our residents look forward each year to the season when the crepe myrtle is in bloom. An important feature of the crepe myrtle is that its blooming season extends over such a long period, nearly all late spring and early summer.

June 17, and is designed primarily to consolidate and make more uniform laws administered by the VA, Harley A. Smith, manager of the Alabama VA Regional Office, explained.

WASHINGTON—Senator John Sparkman (D., Ala.) said today that the action of Vice President Nixon and its almost unanimous support by Republican Senators demonstrates again the simple truth that the republican Party has no concern for the welfare of the South.

Sparkman was referring to Senate action which placed civil rights bills before the Senate without referring to the Senate Judiciary Committee.

"Vice President Nixon and the Republicans are determined to make every effort to get the Negro vote," Sparkman charged. "With the Vice President and the Minority Leader, Senator Knowland, already in the race for the Presidency in 1960 and both determined to ride to the White House on the issue of civil rights legislation, the South may expect some even more troubled times than the Republican induced racial troubles that exist today."

New Benefits Act Makes Uniform Law Compensation and pension payments to veterans and their dependents are not effected by the Veterans' Benefits Act of 1957, the VA said after a study of the law.

The new act, Public Law 85-56, was signed by the President.

PORT SAM HOUSTON, TEX. (AITHN)—Pvt. Roy H. Chandler, son of Mrs. M. Chandler, Elba, Ala., is scheduled to complete six months active military training July 5, at Fort Sam Houston, Tex., under the Reserve Forces Act program.

After completing 14 weeks of advanced training at the Fort Brooke Army Medical Center, Chandler will be permitted to conduct his military service with his local Army Reserve or National Guard unit.

The 17 year old soldier attended Jordan High School, Columbus.

Coffee Soldier in Artistic Circle U. S. FORCES, GREENLAND (AITHN)—Army Specialist second class John W. Reeves, whose wife, Shirley, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby F. Reeves, live on Route 1, Enterprise, Ala., is helping in this summer's supply of Soudred from Air Base, 109 miles above the Arctic Circle in Greenland.

All shipping to Soudred, a refueling base of the Strategic Air Command, must be done during the summer months because of the severe winters when temperatures frequently reach 40 degrees below zero. Specialist Reeves attended Enterprise High School.

War Orphans Get Education Benefits Some 91 sons and daughters of deceased war veterans attended class in Alabama this past school year under the eight month old War Orphans Education program, the Veterans Administration said today. But the VA pointed out that the educational program, which went into effect after the 1956 school year got under way, is just now beginning to gain momentum. During the next school year, it was predicted, War Orphans enrollments probably will more than double this year's total.

HOME COMING PLANNED Homecoming Day will be observed at Buff Springs Baptist Church Sunday, July 14, with an all day meeting and dinner served at noon. Get the Clipper Reading Habit

ANNUAL CO-OP MEETING SET AT ANDALUSIA

Andalusia—Plans are nearing completion for the 1957 annual members meeting of the Covington Electric Cooperative, Inc., which is to be held Saturday afternoon, July 13, at the Andalusia Municipal Stadium.

Some 2,000 of the cooperative's 8,300 members in Covington, Coffee and Crenshaw counties, are expected to be on hand for this event.

Headlining the afternoon program will be an address by the Honorable David A. Hamil, of Washington, D. C., the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration (REA). Mr. Hamil, who heads the agency which provides loan funds for more than 900 rural electric cooperatives in this country, will be making his first public appearance in Alabama.

Another highlight of the afternoon program will include a 30 minute demonstration of the ultra modern electronic range, placed on the market only recently. This cooking process, which turns out foods in seconds, is unique in that the food is cooked in a cold oven. Entertainment at the meeting will be provided by the Florida Boys Quartet, of Pensacola, Florida.

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Attention Covington Electric Co-op Members: REA Administrator

Plan Now To Attend The Annual Members Meeting Covington Electric Cooperative, Inc. Andalusia Municipal Stadium Saturday Afternoon, July 13th Registration Starts 12:00 Noon; Program 1:30 P.M.

Here Are Some Of The Program Highlights:

- Address by the Honorable David A. Hamil, Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, Washington, D. C.
- Fine entertainment by the "Florida Boys" Quartet, of Pensacola, Fla., radio and TV artists.
- Demonstration of "magic" electronic range.
- Awarding of numerous FREE PRIZES, including a big HOME FREEZER, electric fryers, percolators, clocks, irons, mixers, and many other appliances.
- Election of one member to Board of Trustees.
- Reports on progress made by Cooperative.

EXTRA: A 150-Watt Electric Light Bulb FREE To All Members Registering

Covington Electric Cooperative, Inc. Andalusia, Ala.

During the business session, Co-op members will elect one member to a three year term on the five man Board of Trustees, and hear reports of progress made by the Cooperative. Nominated to possible election are: Board representing District Five (Coffee county), Ira Allen, New Brockton Rd. 1, and Eugene Farris, Elba Rt. 3. Mr. Allen is presently serving as a member of the Board. Other features of the afternoon will include the awarding of some 25 attendance prizes, consisting of an electric home freezer, and other electrical appliances. In addition, each Co-op member registering will receive an electric light bulb free. Registration of members will begin at 12:00 noon, with the entertainment program starting at 1:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hardin of Montgomery spent last week-end with relatives here.

LAKE ZION OPEN EVERY SATURDAY

At Zion Chapel School FISHING PERMITS \$1.00 A DAY Proceeds to School LIMIT 20 BREAM — 5 BASS FISHING FROM 4 A.M. TILL 8 P.M.

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Attention Covington Electric Co-op Members: REA Administrator

Plan Now To Attend The Annual Members Meeting Covington Electric Cooperative, Inc. Andalusia Municipal Stadium Saturday Afternoon, July 13th Registration Starts 12:00 Noon; Program 1:30 P.M.

Here Are Some Of The Program Highlights:

- Address by the Honorable David A. Hamil, Administrator, Rural Electrification Administration, Washington, D. C.
- Fine entertainment by the "Florida Boys" Quartet, of Pensacola, Fla., radio and TV artists.
- Demonstration of "magic" electronic range.
- Awarding of numerous FREE PRIZES, including a big HOME FREEZER, electric fryers, percolators, clocks, irons, mixers, and many other appliances.
- Election of one member to Board of Trustees.
- Reports on progress made by Cooperative.

EXTRA: A 150-Watt Electric Light Bulb FREE To All Members Registering

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One of the highlights of the annual meeting will be a demonstration of the ultra-modern electronic range (above). Cooks many foods in seconds. This startlingly new range produces "hot foods from a cold oven."

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Fishin's Good AT COFFEE COUNTY LAKE

Shown here is F. J. McDaniel, manager of Mac's Boat House, Coffee County Lake, with a string of 40 blue gill weighing 18 pounds caught by him and his father, F. M. McDaniel, in just two and a half hours of fishing on the lake last Saturday. Proof enough that fishin's good at Coffee County Lake.



MAC'S BAIT HOUSE
Intersection Troy—Brantley Highway, Elba
COFFEE COUNTY LAKE
Wm. Prescott, Mgr.

GETS BIG 'UN BUT SHARK HAS ALL BUT HEAD

(By C. B. McDaniel)

Jordan Lindsey, Elba's expert deep sea fisherman, reports that recently he took Tom Prescott, former Elba High School football star, on a fishing boat.

Mr. Lindsey said the big'uns were striking quite freely and Tom was having trouble in playing them so as to prevent them from breaking his line. He kidded the athlete about becoming "soft."

Finally, Mr. Lindsey said he saw Tom's rod dip violently underneath the surface of the water and the young athlete was taking a gallant play with a real luger on his line. Suddenly, Tom gave a herculean pull and up came his haul, nothing but a huge fish head. A shark had severed the body from the head as smoothly as though it had been cut with a cleaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Fox Brunson and Martin spent last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fox Brunson Jr., in Mobile.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Dozier Bryan spent several days last week with relatives in Panama City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Young spent several days last week in the home of her sister Mrs. Jack Chamberliss in Montgomery.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Rentsz and family spent last week at Daytona Beach with relatives.

1st Lt. Lamar Parker of Camp LeJone N. C. is spending some time with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parker.

Michael and Terry Early of Atlanta are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horton Fick. They left the last of the week for Bel Mar Beach where they will spend a week.

AT FURNITURE MART
Boyd Murphree, proprietor of Murphree Furniture Co., and Mrs. Murphree spent last Wednesday in Atlanta, where Mr. Murphree attended the Southeastern Furniture Mart in the Belle Isle Bldg.

SCOUT HONOR COURT AWARDS ARE RECEIVED

A number of Elba Boy Scouts received awards at a Court of Honor held at the Elba High School auditorium Friday night.

Judge E. F. Paul served as master of ceremonies. A number of out of town Scout celebrities were present, including J. P. Jones of Geneva, President Southeast Alabama Council, Boy Scouts of America; Col. S. E. Fain, retired Florida, member of the Board of S. E. Council, who delivered an interesting address; Al Vreeland of Enterprise, pastor of the Enterprise Presbyterian Church, Commissioner of the West District; Jimmy Holland of Geneva, Neighborhood Commissioner.

Roger Winston, Jr., was awarded his Eagle badge. Three boys received their Tenderfoot awards. Bert Casey received his Life Scout award. He plans to complete his requirements for his Eagle award next December. If he does, he will be the youngest Eagle in Coffee County, as he will be 15 years of age until next March.

Several members of the Troop received Merit awards. At an impressive ceremony held at the Elba Methodist Church Sunday morning, with the pastor, Rev. Ralph Hendricks presiding, Roger Winston Jr., and Sammy Casey received their "God and Country" pins. Mrs. Winston made an impressive gesture when she pinned her award on the blouse of her mother, remarking that she well deserved it as she had an important part in rearing her grandson, Roger.

Roger and Sammy will leave during the week end for Valley Forge, Pa., to attend the National Scout Jamboree, where more than 50,000 Boy Scouts of America will assemble for this important event which is held every four years. They will be the only Scouts who will attend from Coffee County and will be the first Scouts to attend the National Jamboree from the county. Scouts from all over the United States will be present at Valley Forge, the place made famous by the Father of Our Country, George Washington.

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UNDERGOES OPERATION
Dr. George W. Kerlin of Andalusia, Superintendent of the Andalusia District of the Alabama and Northwest Florida Conference, Methodist Church, is in a Dothan hospital, where he underwent a major operation one day last week.

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MT. GILEAD REVIVAL
A revival will begin at the Mt. Gilead Baptist Church Sunday, July 7, and continue through July 14, with services daily at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rev. A. O. Martz, pastor of Goodman, will be in charge. Rev. Joe Mosley is pastor of Mt. Gilead.

DORSEY TAKES INVENTORY; TO REOPEN JULY 8
The Dorsey Trailers plant commenced taking its annual inventory Friday at 6 a.m. and the plant will be shut down until the inventory is completed. The inventory is much larger than in the history of the company.

It is vacation time for most of the Dorsey employees except those taking the inventory. The company stresses the importance of accuracy, as the figures obtained will be the basis of determining income tax for the ensuing year.

The sales Department reports that orders have been coming in very rapidly the past week and those orders already received and those expected to come in while the plant is closed for the inventory, will make a fine backlog of all types of trailer orders on hand when work begins again July 8.

The Company reported that while the month of June was not outstanding in the number of sales produced, indications pointed to a healthy upswing in its commercial business.



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DOUBLE FEATURE

HORROR BEYOND HUMAN BELIEF!
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FOUR BOYS AND A GUN
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The Spirit of St. Louis
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NEWS & CARTOON

TUES-WED — JULY 9 & 10

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Sgt. and Mrs. Frank Andrews (nee Martha Jo Swain) of Goldsboro, N. C., arrived last week for a visit with her parents and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Swain. Sgt. Andrews returned home Sunday while Mrs. Andrews remained for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ball and daughter of Tampa, Fla., spent last week end with Mrs. Kate Brunson and Miss Mercer Brunson.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Jacobs and Joan of Biloxi, Miss, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. Whitley last week. Mrs. Whitley accompanied them home for a visit.

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SOCIETY - NEWS - SECTION

MRS. J. D. WHITMAN Society Editor

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Mr. and Mrs. Bancroft Cooper and children of Birmingham, are visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. Nell Cooper and with relatives in Enterprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vaughn and sons are visiting and vacationing in Cross City, and other parts in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Milton Wise and little son of Tuscaloosa spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John B. Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Taylor left Saturday for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. John B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Johnson had as their guests last week, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hutto, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bowden, and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Richardson, of Arton.

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